

Town of Wiseman

HABS No. AK-25 B

Pioneers of Alaska Igloo No. 8

(Siverly & Bowker Saloon)

Bettles vicinity, Yukon-Koyukuk Division
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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE ALASKA	COUNTY YUKON-KOYUKUK DIVISION	TOWN OR VICINITY BETTLES VICINITY
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) TOWN OF WISEMAN (National Park Service Files)		HABS NO. AK-25 B
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE PIONEERS OF ALASKA IGLOO NO. 8; Siverly and Bowker Saloon		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) On the west bank of the Middle Fork of the Koyukuk River at the mouth of Wiseman Creek		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) Prior to 1913 (NPS files)	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE)	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Mortgaged to Erle R. Brown, March 18, 1913, when it was known as the Siverly and Bowker Saloon. Sold by E.R. Brown to Igloo #8 of the Pioneers of Alaska, November 2, 1914. Owned in 1972 by Burt Stearns and George Carroll. See HABS No. AK-25		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) log cabin		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) logs		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Large rectangular cabin with enclosed entryway on west end and porch on east end		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED)		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE lived in year 'round; residence for son of owner		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) NPS files; See Bibliography HABS No. AK-25		
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